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WATCHMEN TELL US OF THE HOUR

Is This the 60th Day
Or What Day
Is It?

HOUSE VOTES TO UPHOLD ITS JOURNAL

Rejects Senate Bill and Then Discusses
Its Differences With the Governor
--Republicans Begin to Pack
Up Their Duds.

The House convened promptly at 9 o'clock this morning. The minutes were read, including those of the night session. Kamehameha moved to adopt the minutes. Beckley moved to strike out all the minutes after that section where it stated that the House adjourned through lack of a quorum. Robertson objected to those who were absent from the evening session voting, but the Speaker ruled against him. The minutes were finally corrected according to Beckley's motion. Ayes 14, nays 12.

A message was received from Secretary Cooper, announcing that Governor Dole had signed Act 14, relating to gross cheat.

A bill fixing the compensation of pilots was received from the Senate, and was passed on first reading after a little discussion.

Crabbe's joint resolution naming the holidays was received from the Senate. After some discussion the resolution was referred to the Judiciary Committee.

During some of the lengthy discussion in which the Independents were prominent, some of the Republicans were seen to begin to clean out their desks, and to pack up their little belongings. Griffith had quite a large bundle done up in a newspaper, on the top of his desk, and about all the other Republicans were ready to "start" for the front at a moment's notice.

A bill, relating to a license for selling animals, was received from the Senate, and reported on first reading.

The Committee on Judiciary reported on House Resolution 117, changing the calendar so that today would be the sixtieth day of the session. The committee deemed it unwise to change the calendar at this late date. Robertson did not concur, stating that the "truth is truth," no matter what lame excuse was offered to bolster up the argument of the opposite side. Mackkau advised that care should be used in dealing with the reports, and that no railroad should be done in such an important matter, for he held that it was the sixtieth day of the session. According to the Federal Attorney to-morrow was the last day.

Emmeluth chose the journal as his guide, "right or wrong." Dickey said: "If a thing is wrong, it should not be stuck to, as Mr. Emmeluth has advised. I for one, would like nothing better than to have enough time in which to get through the Loan bill, but under the existing circumstances it is impossible. A crime was committed last night, when the House failed to pass the Loan bill." Prendergast switched off on the Loan bill, and stated that the bill was not good for it gave \$150,000 to the sewerage and nothing to the streets. It was far better to have good streets than a sewer system that did not work.

Mackkau gave Emmeluth another dig because of his "right or wrong" policy, objecting to the calendar on the grounds that the journal was wrong.

Kellikoa wanted to change his place in the majority report as he had signed it in haste. He agreed with Robertson in the matter. Beckley stated that the vote on the

measure would show who were the Governor's supporters and he moved the previous question.

Robertson stated that Washington's Birthday was not set aside as a legal holiday, either by the Territorial Statutes or by the United States Congress. Any work carried on by the Legislature after today, would only be declared illegal by the courts in charge of the case.

The majority report was finally carried. Ayes 15, nays 14. Nays--Aylett, Dickey, Ewaliko, Griffith, Hoops, Kellikoa, Kellikoa, Kellikoa, Kamalae, Makekai, Monsarrat, Naillima, Robertson and Wilcox.

The House then took a recess until 1:30.

How it Came to Be a May Day

Visitors from the North are led to remark concerning the elaborate preparations for the May Day celebration: How does it come that May Day is observed here where you have May time the whole year round?

"In England," continued the critic, "where the celebration of May Day originated many many years ago, it meant something. It was an expression of joy on the occasion of a change of season. The rigors of winter having gone and the birds having come; the white snow had been replaced by a sudden burst of green sward. The remembrance of nature following the deathlike embrace of winter, has a profound influence upon the people who live in the North. It makes the hearts of old people glad, and the coming of May is a signal of joy for the children. Consequently, it is an ancient English custom to celebrate with dancing on the green, the advent of spring. The May-pole dance, the crowning of the May Queen, the music and the frolicsome children all have a meaning under those circumstances.

"But the rites or observances fit a place like Hawaii, where May lasts the live long year and always. All institutions and every queer observance or custom, have their birth in the natural conditions of a locality. They spread to other places where conditions are similar; but they cannot be transplanted to alien climes. 'May Day' will never have a meaning in Honolulu."

Latest Evidence On Plumbers Strike

This afternoon the headquarters of the Plumbers' Association on Fort street gives no signs of the war of the lead pipe men slated for tomorrow.

The atmosphere however is laden with an ominous quiet. One plumber was sitting in a corner reading a Salvation Army tract. Another was nursing an injured hand in which symptoms of blood poisoning have appeared. Two others were at a table playing a two-handed game of solitaire.

"Going to be a strike tomorrow," said the reporter. The four plumbers lazily raised their heads, and in a chorus of silence pointed to a blackboard.

On the blackboard some rival of Yardley had drawn a pictorial representation of what the plumbers expect will happen tomorrow. The journey-men were all lined up at Bishop's bank making big inroads on the cash reserve of that institution. Figure No. 2 showed them boarding a boat for "Frisco." Figure No. 3 showed the master plumbers of Honolulu holding a bankrupt sale of plumbing material, preparatory to going out of business.

CAMPBELL STILL AT IT.

Marston Campbell is feeling first rate with the results achieved by the Road Department, even though two-thirds of the force was forced to retire by the shortage of funds. The work has been done with material from only been made. On Wilder avenue over 70,000 square feet of macadam has been put down. Work has moved forward on Hotel street, Queen street and Liliha. The Makiki crusher has furnished the stone for all these places besides material for the construction of the piers for the School street bridge over Nuuanu stream.

Concerning the grading done on Liliha, Superintendent Campbell says it is practically completed from King to Vineyard street and has cost not to exceed \$1100.

Reception for Miss Reynolds.

The reception extended to Miss A. M. Reynolds by the members of the Young Women's Christian Association at the home of B. F. Dillingham at Punahou was a very pleasant and successful affair. The spacious grounds were brilliantly illuminated. Music, light refreshments and social pleasure were the order of the evening.

The guests were presented to Miss Reynolds by Mrs. H. E. Coleman, the retiring secretary of this city. Miss Reynolds is the World's Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. and is on her way from the Orient to the Mainland. She made an interesting address on the incidents and events of her travel.

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IMPROVEMENTS AT THE POST OFFICE

How Letter Writers May
Help in the Good
Work.

THOUSANDS OF LETTERS IMPROPERLY ADDRESSED

Dream of Free Delivery in This
City May be Only a Dream
--Difficulties in
Way.

Since Louis Kenne returned from his trip to the Coast to inspect post offices, numerous improvements have been inaugurated in the office here. The improvements have been various matters of detail which are apparent to one passing through the office during working hours.

Quite a lot of post office furniture has arrived and has been installed which facilitates the handling of business on rush days. The different divisions of the working force have been separated and all branches now move along with far less friction.

The public has more than once been reminded of the heavy handiwork under which the Honolulu post office labors. But a walk through the office in the early morning hours, with a guide to explain the movements of the different slaves at their toil, shows that there are slow people outside of the post office and that they all do not live at Washington, D. C. The Honolulu post office has 1,000 boxes. It is a remarkable fact that an average of fourteen different persons get their mail from one box. This does not mean fourteen in one family, but fourteen persons of different names. The slave who distributes the local mail had thrown 5,000 letters by 9:30 a. m. today. Less than one-tenth of this bundle of letters had the box number with the address. Great drops of sweat were rolling down this slave's face as he tried to hurry through this enormous pile in time to get it all out by the time the business men made their first call for their letters. The letters without box numbers, and which could not be connected with their proper destination at once, were turned over to another slave whose position is known as the "sweet box." It is his business to struggle through a book and find the box numbers of persons to whom letters are addressed. The number that reach him for treatment is only a few hundred daily. The man who handles the big bundle of letters knows most of the boxes.

Every day about 5,000 letters come into the office from people who forget to put on the box number. In civilized countries, the box number is never left off.

Within a very short time the general delivery system at the post office will be radically altered. The number of windows will be increased and their size cut down to port holes. The public will then call at the window corresponding to the letter with which their name begins. "What about free delivery," said the reporter, as he passed a man at a desk.

"Free delivery! Think of the aid that has been given it by the Legislature," said the man at the desk. "Washington is running this post office. Light streets, good walks and many many things are required by Uncle Sam to exist in cities, before he volunteers to deliver mail at the homes of the people. 'A free delivery system in Honolulu would practically require a special dispensation of Providence and of the Postmaster General. Some plan will have to be devised to meet our peculiar conditions. An agent of the department will be here in June. He will probably recommend a scheme, after he looks over the ground, which will be the best. 'In the meantime, tell the dear people to put the box number on their letters addressed to Honolulu and oblige us all.'"

THE POPULAR OPERA.

"Wang," tonight at the Opera House by the Josephine Stanton Opera Company, will undoubtedly draw the largest audience of the season, if the advance sale is any indication.

Theatrical entertainments and the impression they make upon the public is best attested by the box office sale, and if the performance to be given tonight is as good as the sale is large, a successful production can be looked for. Miss Stanton enjoys playing the role of "Mataya." It fits this clever little woman to perfection. Her several solos and duets are sparkling and snappy and the ensemble work of the chorus is a thing of beauty. Kunkle and Harvey with the funny antics of a huge elephant, and the sweet singing of Lydia all go to make up a decidedly clever entertainment. "Wang" will be given tonight only. At the May Day matinee tomorrow, "The Mascotte" will be sung at 2 and 50 cents, while "Gloffe-Gloffe" will be Thursday night's offering by special request. "Fra Diavolo" will be given Saturday night with Henry Italian as the bandit chieftain, one of his most congenial roles. There will be a Saturday matinee this week, Wednesday being substituted.

POLICE BASEBALL TEAM.

The police are to have a baseball team and that at once. The whole movement has been started by Deputy Sheriff Chillingworth who is constantly on the lookout for the welfare of the men under him. Matters have been so arranged that not a man will be taken from his work to take part in practice or in a full fledged game. The boys are most enthusiastic over the proposal and have already begun practicing.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. Chillingworth had several of the boys out practicing on the drill shed grounds. Among the number were the following: Barney Joy (pitcher), Leslie of the mounted patrol (catcher), George Sea, Richardson and a number of others. Some very good work was done.

The police intend to go in to win and will undoubtedly take part in the games that are to follow in the near future.

HAWAIIAN BOTANY.

Josephine E. Tilden, who visited these islands a few months ago to collect mosses and other botanical specimens for the University of Minnesota, has sent to the Commissioner of Agriculture her report to the University. It contains a catalogue of over 100 Hawaiian specimens and has stimulated that institution to consider Hawaii a proper place to establish a tropical botanical station. Such a station has been established on Vancouver Island.

Mr. Robert Boyd, the spokesman of the committee of five which called on the Governor yesterday with reference to the matter of the extension of the session of the Legislature, was seen this morning with reference to certain denials made by Governor Dole in the Advertiser this morning. Mr. Boyd said: "The Governor spoke in the Hawaiian tongue and he did say he knew bribery had been carried on in the Legislature."

This statement of Mr. Boyd is corroborated by C. B. Maile and the remainder of the members of the committee who called on the Governor. Being Hawaiians, the whole lot of them, it is hardly likely that they were mistaken in what he said.

Mr. Boyd further stated this morning that, while every word published in the Bulletin yesterday with reference to his answer to Governor Dole when he made the charge of bribery, may not have been said, still the substance was the same. This is also corroborated by all the members of the committee.

Mr. Boyd said: "I will not retract a single thing. The story which appeared in the Bulletin yesterday was correct in every respect and I will stand by what I said. If bribery has been done, we want to know the parties concerned. The Governor has made the charge and

APPROPRIATION FOR THE FORMER QUEEN

Acted On Favorably By
The Senate This
Forenoon.

SOLID REPUBLICAN VOTE AGAINST THE HOUSE BILL

Cooper Reports a Bill Signed by
Governor--Senate Refuses to
Concur in a House
Amendment.

At this morning's session of the Senate the House bill which provides for \$250,000 for Liliuokalani to satisfy all claims against the Republic of Hawaii, now the Territory of Hawaii, was passed in third reading on a strict party vote of 9 to 6 and is now in the hands of the Governor.

When the Senate met this morning, the clerk read a communication from the Secretary of the Territory to the effect that the Governor had signed "An Act to amend Section 1 Act 22 of the Laws of 1896, relating to gross cheat."

The clerk then read a communication from the House announcing that the House had passed Senate bill 63 with certain amendments. This bill relates to the homesteads of house-holders. When the Senate acted on the bill, the word "citizen" was substituted by "person." The House put the word "citizen" back again and the Senate refused to concur in this. All the other amendments were accepted. The chair appointed Messrs. Achi, Kalaokalani and White a conference committee to confer with a like committee of the House on the amendment in which the Senate refused to concur.

Under suspension of rules, House bill 121, relating to the giving of \$250,000 to Queen Liliuokalani, to satisfy all claims was brought up in second reading. The Republicans fought long against the bill, saying that it would never receive the sanction of either the Governor of the Territory or of the United States. To give the Queen \$250,000 in a lump sum was nonsensical.

Mr. Achi said that the person who had framed the bill was really no friend of the Queen. He might have appeared to be such on the surface but down underneath it was his intention that she should not get a cent. That was the reason the bill had been drafted in the way it appeared in the Senate.

Mr. Carter, like the other speakers on the Republican side, said he favored giving the Queen something. If the bill were amended so as to allow her \$500 a month out of the Treasury, she would get something but the bill before the Senate would never bring her anything. Mr. Carter went on to talk about the Family Compact and the missionaries. He said he was of a missionary family but he did not care to be judged by his family. He wanted the people to judge by his actions. He could not help it if he happened to be the ratoon crop of a missionary.

Mr. White reported back for the Judiciary Committee, recommending the passage of House bill 80. The report was adopted and third reading set for May 2.

At 11:45 o'clock, the Senate took a recess until 2 o'clock.

MAY DAY FESTIVAL.

The arrangements have been completed for the May Day exercises to-morrow. The children from all the schools will meet at the drill shed and form in line, marching to the Capitol grounds at 10 a. m. The following program will be rendered:

Speech by Governor J. B. Dole.
Song--Hawaii.... E. A. P. Newcomb
Kamehameha Schools.
Song--Welcome My Words....
Normal and Public Schools.
Song--Daybreak.... G. A. Vearie Jr.
Punahou.
"Sunny Mauna"....
Kawaiahae Seminary.
"A Forest Ramble".... Franz Ahi
High School.
"Home Sweet Home"....
Primary Grades.
May Pole Dance.
Kaulaani School.
(a) "Hawaii Pono."
(b) "Star Spangled Banner."
Mrs. Anna Montague Turner.
Schools unite in chorus.

Luncheon.
Members of the Legislature, of the League, Board of Education, parents and friends are cordially invited to be present at the exercises.

The naval paymaster's office was transferred today by E. F. Hall to his successor, J. B. Phillips. This office was established by Mr. Hall a few months ago, he being sent here for that purpose. Mr. Phillips will be assisted by Clerk F. K. Hall in place of F. P. McWhilte, who goes with Paymaster Hall into service on the Boston.

THREE DAYS MORE

It is learned on good authority that when the Legislature adjourns this afternoon, it will be for three days, in accordance with the provisions of the Organic Act and that, during the interim, there will be an investigation into the charges of bribery made by Governor Dole. This it is rumored will be done by joint resolution.

IROQUOIS TO CRUISE

The U. S. S. Iroquois will start on a surveying cruise on the 15th of May. She will make a tour of the islands and return to prepare for her trip to Laysan and Fanning islands.

FIRE ON WATERFRONT.

There was great excitement on the Inter-island wharf this morning soon after the Mauna Loa arrived. A fire was discovered by Longo. He gave the alarm and "Shanks" Moenman, who was nearest to the conflagration, succeeded in smothering the blaze before it had done much damage.

The fire was started by ashes dropped from a pipe in the hands of Captain Thompson of the W. G. Hall. These ashes fell into the trousers of Moenman where they were turned up at the bottom. The great presence of mind shown by Moenman in putting out the fire saved him a trip home in a barrel.

To Leave in Noon.

Among the passengers intending to leave in the Moana for Vancouver on May 9, are the following: Mrs. Miss Mist, Harry and Robert Mist, all of whom are going for an indefinite stay. They will proceed first to Germany and will then go back to the old home in England.

Mrs. Ward and the Misses Ward who are going to Haifa and other places for a long stay. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Walker who are bound to England on an indefinite stay. Mrs. James Wakefield and family who are also bound home to England.

Millionaire Worthless Checks.

New York, April 17.--Alonzo J. Whiteman, once Mayor of Duluth, afterward a Minnesota State Senator and candidate for Congress, and at one time a millionaire, was sentenced to two years and six months' imprisonment. He had been convicted in the Court of General Sessions of passing worthless checks for \$100 upon the Hotel Navarre last November.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED.

From Kona and Maui ports, per stmr. Mauna Loa, April 30--C. B. Hale and wife, Miss E. J. Greig, Miss E. P. Chamberlain, Miss Ray Brill, Mrs. F. Johnny, T. E. Hobbs, W. Booth, Mrs. E. M. Lorberstein, Mrs. S. E. Redway and daughter, T. R. Keywor, Dr. Haesel and wife, H. Deacon, G. Haesel, Miss Morse, A. C. Gehr, H. B. Gehr, Mrs. E. S. Gill, A. H. Smith, R. H. Long, R. E. Starr, Sheriff Andrews, W. A. Wall and wife, N. A. Sager, F. A. Schmidt, F. McLaughlin, C. L. Lyngs, J. H. Moninger, F. E. Richardson, A. Sherbolt, W. G. Goss, C. E. Meller, R. I. Randolph, W. Vawter, Mrs. A. Clarke, Dr. Raymond, Capt. H. E. Soule, John Maud, J. H. L'chtig, C. T. Michaels, H. S. Harkness, F. J. Polley.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED.

For Hilo and way ports, per stmr. Kinau, April 30--Miss Mary Brooks, Miss Richard, Mrs. J. I. Carreto, M. D. Monsarrat, Miss Ray Brill, Mrs. F. Johnny, T. E. Hobbs, W. Booth, Mrs. E. M. Lorberstein, Mrs. S. E. Redway and daughter, T. R. Keywor, Dr. Haesel and wife, H. Deacon, G. Haesel, Miss Morse, A. C. Gehr, H. B. Gehr, Mrs. E. S. Gill, A. H. Smith, R. H. Long, R. E. Starr, Sheriff Andrews, W. A. Wall and wife, N. A. Sager, F. A. Schmidt, F. McLaughlin, C. L. Lyngs, J. H. Moninger, F. E. Richardson, A. Sherbolt, W. G. Goss, C. E. Meller, R. I. Randolph, W. Vawter, Mrs. A. Clarke, Dr. Raymond, Capt. H. E. Soule, John Maud, J. H. L'chtig, C. T. Michaels, H. S. Harkness, F. J. Polley.

For Molokai ports, per stmr. Lehua, April 30--H. R. Hinchcock, C. Baite, Mrs. D. McCorriston, S. Biddell.

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GENTLEMEN

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